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(S) POLOFF delivered subject demarche to Dr. Kojo Assan,
Director for International Organizations with the Ghanaian
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Regional Integration and NEPAD.
Dr. Assan said that he would communicate the message of the
demarche to the Ministry's Chief Director. Post does not
expect a substantive reply, however. Ghana is in a period of
political transition, with a presidential run-off election on
December 28, and will have a new Foreign Minister sometime in
January.
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